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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
**SECRETARIAT OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL
(REFORMS)**
NOTIFICATION

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No. F. 50/3/47 R.—The following Announcement by the Governor-General is published for general information.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL

In pursuance of paragraph 21 of the Statement by His Majesty's Government dated the 3rd June 1947 the Governor-General is pleased to direct that the following procedure shall be adopted for the purpose of holding a referendum in Sylhet under paragraph 13 of the Statement :—

1. The referendum shall be made to the persons included in the electoral rolls for the constituencies and part constituency of the Assam Legislative Assembly specified in the Schedule to this Announcement.
2. The Governor-General may, in consultation with the Government of Assam, appoint a Referendum Commissioner and such other officers as may be considered necessary.

3. The Referendum Commissioner shall take such steps as he may consider necessary to carry out the Referendum ; and may utilise the assistance of such officers and authorities as may be placed at his disposal by the Government of Assam.

4. The result of the Referendum shall be communicated to the Governor-General and to the Government of Assam by the Referendum Commissioner.

Schedule

I. The following General constituencies, namely :—

- Sunamganj
- Habibganj (North)
- Habibganj (South)
- South Sylhet (West)
- South Sylhet (East)
- Sylhet Sadr (South)
- Sylhet Sadr (North)
- Karimganj (West)
- Karimganj (East)

II. The following Muhammadan constituencies, namely :—

- Sunamganj (West)
- Sunamganj (Central)
- Sunamganj (East)
- Sunamganj (South)
- Habibganj (North-West)
- Habibganj (North-East)
- Habibganj (South-West)
- Habibganj (South-East)
- South Sylhet (West)
- South Sylhet (Central)
- South Sylhet (East)

Sylhet Sadr (Central)
 Sylhet Sadr (North)
 Sylhet Sadr (West)
 Sylhet Sadr (East)
 Sylhet Sadr (South)
 Karimganj (West)
 Karimganj (Central)
 Karimganj (South)

III. That portion of the Indian Christian constituency
 which is comprised in the Sylhet District.

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